

# NASHVILLE:

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THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 16, 1856.

**REMOVAL.**  
We have removed our large Printing Establishment to the corner of Church and Cherry Streets, where we will be happy to see our friends and patrons.

**TO REVENUE COLLECTORS.**—A large portion of the revenue for 1854, is yet uncollected, and as the school fund will be distributed soon after the return of the Comptroller from Jackson, it is important that the revenue collectors of West Tennessee should meet the agent of the Treasurer in Jackson, during the first fifteen days of April, and pay in the amount due from their respective counties. This will apply as well to counties in the Middle and Eastern divisions. This is the first distribution of school funds under the act of the last Legislature, and it is hoped revenue collectors will be prompt and pay over by the 1st of May, so that the common school law of 1853-4, shall have a fair trial, and give the Treasurer time to apportion the same by July. A. DIBRELL, Treasurer.

January 17, 1855.

Parents friendly to the cause, will please give an insertion.

**AN ACT**

To regulate the Reception of Scholars in the Home

High School.

Be it enacted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Nashville, That no child or children who are not actual residents, or whose parents do not reside within the corporate limits of the city of Nashville, whether owning property and paying taxes thereon or not, shall be received in any of the public schools, or in any of the heretofore established in this city.

Sec. 2. Be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the superintendent to examine every child when he or she may apply for admission into the Public School, as to whether their parents are non-residents or not, and to reject all children whose parents do not reside within the corporate limits of the city. And this shall be in full force from and after its passage.

Passed January 15th, 1855.

A true copy. Attest: E. A. RAWORTH, Recorder.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen, in one of its periodical fits of economy, ordered the above to be published in all the morning papers except the Union and American. If the Corporation is too poor (we expect it, or will soon be, if the present board continue in office) to pay for advertisements of general interest, we will publish for them, free of charge, under the head of "charitable institutions." In this agreement, however, there must be one proviso:—we must be excused from publishing their "processes"—this would call for too great an extension of our patience and charity. Rather more *laissez-faire* about the concern than suits our taste.

The *St. Louis* says—W. H. BLACKBURN, Esq., editor of the *Play*, at Gallatin, is now in our city, and will receive advertisements from merchants and others. The *Play* circulates in all parts of St. Louis, and is therefore seen by a large class of persons who do most of their trading in Nashville. It is therefore a capital advertising medium for Nashville merchants.

**RIVER NEWS.**

REPORTED BY J. P. HARRISON, FORWARD AGENT.

The river still continues to recede gradually, leaving about nine feet water on Harpeth shoals.

From present appearances there will be no coal boat risk. The Republic is now in port with a load of 20 cents any advance on former prices, 25 and 30 cents. In order to sustain her in these prices, and continue the trade so active at present, we would suggest that shippers patronize her at the customary rates with heavy freights to Smithland.

Weather warm and pleasant; wind south-west with indications of rain.

The steamer Wm. Phillips leaves this day for Clarksville at 10 o'clock, A. M., with passengers for the steamer Traboe, who will leave for the Crescent City immediately on her arrival. This is a splendid opportunity offered to those wishing to make a business or pleasure trip to the sunny South. The accommodations on this No. 1 steamer cannot be equaled the late is unparalleled in the good things of life.

Steamer Rock City, also leaves this day for St. Louis, eleven o'clock.

Arrived since our last—Republic, from Coal mines; City of Huntsville, from Memphis; Sallie West, from St. Louis; Rock City, from St. Louis; J. P. Terrell, St. Orleans; and Wm. Phillips, from Clarksville.

Forecast—City of Huntsville, for Memphis; Fair, for Cincinnati.

Chilly river, falling, and weather cold.

Upper and lower Mississippi falling fast.

Expected to-day, Rescue and Old Fellow.

There was a good audience at the Adelphi last night to witness the laughable trials of Weyman. He is certainly the best Ventiquattro of the age.

The Grand Division of the Stars of Tennessee commenced its session at Memphis on yesterday.

We are indebted to the gentlemanly and attentive clerk of the Senate West for St. Louis papers in advance of the mails.

The Republic brought up a load of coal yesterday for Heskins & Co. It is a very good article, and is sold at 25c per bushel.

We are authorized and requested to announce Dr. Thomas A. Anderson, of Coffee County, as a candidate to represent the Fourth Congressional District in the next Congress of the United States. Dr. Anderson was the Editor of the *Tennessee Patriot* and Presidential elector in 1854. He was in the Democratic Electoral Ticket in 1854. He has heretofore done good service for the Democratic party, and this is the first time he has asked any thing for himself.

**GUN POWDER.**

I HAVE now on hand, and will hereafter keep a constant supply of the best quality of

DUPONT'S Celebrated Rifle and Sporting Powder, in casks, kegs, half and whole bags.

Tennessee, Blacking, in kegs of 25 lbs and 50 lbs and Safety Fuse, made by T. Blacking & Co., warranted.

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WALTER SCOTT, Agent for Manufacturers.

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Commission Merchants and Importers of Foreign Goods, No. 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 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